BREAKOUT SESSION: Preparing and shaping the reporting space: TCFD & TNFD

SESSION OVERVIEW
Investors, regulators, governments and other key stakeholders are strengthening the link between sustainability and finance, with climate-and nature-related transparency and disclosure expectations emerging and evolving. It is also becoming increasingly clear that nature loss and action poses both risks and opportunities for business.

Taskforce on Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) and its recent achievements on creating a comprehensive reporting framework, including an overview of the first-ever catalogue that enables companies to implement credible scenario analyses were shared.

Taskforce on Nature-related Financial Disclosures (TNFD) was presented highlighting businesses’ dependencies on ecosystem services and the importance of TNFD disclosure to promote financial shifts focused on nature-positive outcomes rather than negative outcomes.

The need of integrating both frameworks was emphasized and discussed among key stakeholders.

KEY TAKEAWAYS
• The integration between TCFD and TNFD is key to acknowledge the connections between climate and ecosystem services and thus develop a more comprehensive and consistent reporting framework.
• Need to develop the right scenarios for analyses, across different sectors and geographies.
• Main challenges for the development and implementation of the frameworks comprise:
  - data availability for certain geographies (bias toward Europe and North America);
  - tailoring assessments to geographies as there are many variations;
  - and navigating the regulatory environments across jurisdictions.

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"Over 50% of global GDP is either highly or moderately dependent on ecosystem services.”

ACTION: Business must take an integrated approach to nature- and climate-related risks reporting, learning from TCFD experiences and influencing TNFD development.